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PATENT
Customer Number 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2358-01000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Kiyoshi KAWABE) Parent Group Art Unit: 2182
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Application No.: 10/827,249) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
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Filed: April 20, 2004) Confirmation No.: N/A
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For: COMPUTER SYSTEM AND)
METHOD FOR OPERATING A)
COMPUTER UNIT AND A)
PERIPHERAL UNIT)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

STATUS INQUIRY

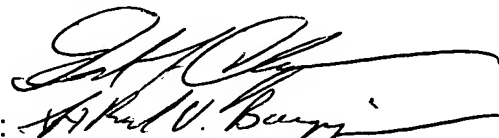
Undersigned's records indicate that no substantive correspondence has been received in reference to the above-identified application. Please advise the undersigned of the status of the application.

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests that he be advised of the status of this application as soon as possible in order to determine whether further action by the applicant is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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